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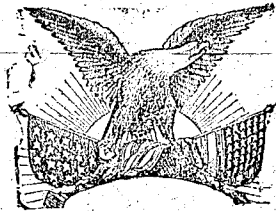
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POLITICAL AND MISCELLANEOUS.

NATIONAL

REPUBLICAN TICKET.



FOR PRESIDENT,
BENJAMIN HARRISON,
OF INDIANA.

FOR VICE PRESIDENT,
LEVI P. MORTON,
OF NEW YORK.

Republican State Convention.

A Republican State Convention to nominate candidates for State officers and electors for president and vice president of the United States, and the transaction of such other business as may properly come before it, will be held at Grayling, in the city of Detroit, beginning at 2 o'clock p. m., Aug. 8, 1888, and continuing Thursday August 9.

In accordance with a resolution adopted at Grand Rapids, May 10, 76, every county will be entitled to one delegate for each 500 of the total vote cast for governor at the last state election (Nov. 1886), and one additional delegate for every fraction amounting to 300, but each organized county will be entitled to at least one delegate.

Under a resolution of 1888 no delegate will be entitled to a seat in the convention who does not reside in the county he proposes to represent.

In compliance with a resolution adopted in Detroit June 23, 1888, the secretary of each county convention is to forward to the secretary of the state central committee, by the earliest mail after the delegates to the state convention are chosen, a certified list of such delegates as are entitled to seats in the state convention from their respective counties.

GEORGE H. HOPKINS,
H. C. TRILMAN, CHAIRMAN,
Secretary.

Republican County Convention.

In accordance with a notice received from the Republican State Central Committee for the holding of the Republican State Convention at Detroit, August 8, '88, the Republicans of Crawford County are requested to meet at the Court House in Grayling, Saturday July 28th, at 2 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of electing delegates to the State, Congressional, Senatorial and Legislative conventions. This township will be entitled to one delegate for every 200 votes cast at the last general election, as follows: Ball, 1; Beaver Creek, 3; Blaine, 2; Center Plains, 3; Frederic, 4; Grayling, 11; Grove, 3; Maple Forest, 2; and South Branch, 2.

O. PALMER,
W. A. MASTERS, CH. GEN. COM.
Secretary.

The success of the republican party has always been identified with the glory of the flag and the unity of the government.—Gen. Harrison.

Bartley Breen, of the Upper Peninsula, who was nominated for Auditor General by the democrats, declines to accept the nomination. Bartley is sensible.

The supreme court has sustained the act of the last legislature relative to selling liquor near the soldiers' home, and selling liquor within one mile of that institution is unlawful.

It looks now as if the democrats will be claiming inside of a few weeks, that their platform means protection, and never meant anything else. There is a panic in camp over the tariff issue.

There are more old line Whigs in the country than anybody dreamed were yet living, and they are rallying to the protection standard with the enthusiasm of forty years ago.

Morton gave \$50,000 for food for the starving Irish people. Thurman carried dainties to rebel prisoners at Camp Chase, Columbus, and now screens himself by saying it was his wife.

The democratic party is working for free trade, which will reduce the working man's wages one half, but it arranges the tariff so as to increase the price of his sugar and rice.—Cleveland Leader.

There is a ground-swell in Indiana is Harrison's favor. The number of democrats who announce themselves as supporters of Harrison and protection is so large that the movement is of the nature of a stampede.

Talking about "cheap blankets," why are our free trade friends also lately silent as to the fact that under low tariff the price of blankets (and all other woolen goods) was from 50 to 80 per cent. higher in the United States than in Europe? The domestic competition developed by a protective tariff has brought them down to much nearer an equality.—Blade.

Chairman Barnum, of the Democratic National committee, is trying to make people believe that the democratic platform don't mean free-trade. Barnum will have his labor for his pains. "The people know better."

A democratic organ says "The man who asserts that to lower the tariff means free trade, insults intelligence." Oh, well; the editor who asserts that the democratic party doesn't mean free trade, hasn't got much intelligence to insult.—Norristown Herald.

What the Boston Herald observes of the tariff matter: "It is especially to be borne in mind that business is suffering while the question is unsettled," it seems to forget that business was all right before its party began to tinker with the tariff.—Burlington Hawkeye.

The democrats of Illinois are in trouble because their candidate for state treasurer is an avowed socialist. He was put on the ticket to catch the labor vote, but his radical socialist views are driving thousands of democratic farmers to the republican ranks.—Blade.

The coffee brokers worked a corner the other day and advanced the price of coffee five or six cents a pound in a single day. Will the free traders please explain how this could happen? They say trusts are the results of the tariff, but coffee is on the free list.—Blade.

Wm. E. Short, of Manistee, attended the democratic convention in Detroit last week, and on his return home had a severe stroke of paralysis. The nomination of a protectionist by a free trade party and on a free trade platform was enough to paralyze most anybody. They will all be paralyzed in November.

Congressmen Whiting and Fisher have been stuffing Washington folks with the absurd claim that Michigan will go 30,000 democratic next fall. Great scotch! how those fellows' heads are swelled! Congressman Brewer says Michigan will go 10,000 republican, which is about the true mark.—State Republican.

The New York Sun remarks that the free trade program, as laid down in the Mills bill, is merely a carrying out of article 1, section 8, of the Confederate constitution, which declared: "Nor shall any duties or taxes on imports from foreign nations be laid to promote or foster any branch of industry."

We learn from our Democrat cotemporary that Ben Harrison when a boy organized a company of youthful highwaymen to steal pennies from blind beggars, and later in life he advocated the hanging of every man who refused to work 27 hours a day for 75 cents, and wanted poverty made a capital offense.

The Bay City Press says: "Mr. Burt's letter did him no harm in the democratic convention, and will do him much good among the people." We do not know of anything that would prevent the nomination of a man with a barrel and who was disposed to open it, by a democratic convention.

The democrats have more faith in the "red bandanna" than they have in their principles. The Louisville Courier-Journal, says: "With a red bandanna at the front of the democratic hosts, and no white plume leading the republicans, it is easy to see where victory will alight." The white plume is not necessary, as the National banner is good enough for the republicans. It is a great wonder, and surprise to many people that the democrats did not adopt their old banner, the "Stars and Bars" of the Confederacy.

Pres. Cleveland congratulated the country on the success of civil service reform, when he submitted the fourth annual report of the civil service commission. He failed to acknowledge that but 21 Union veterans received appointments, when hundreds had passed successful examinations, and that the vacancies made by discharging republicans were filled to a great extent by ex-confederates. The South is "in the saddle" at present but there will be another Apomattox in November when they will be unseated.

Wm. P. Wells, of Detroit, was made temporary chairman of the Democratic State Convention last week, and in his speech advised the delegates not to "shilly-shally." He seemed to understand the party in this state as it has always been a shilly-shallying organization, and is now as will be seen from the following extract:

"But the situation is not new. It will be as it has been for 27 years. It will recall 1861, when the democracy declared itself against seceding a state to remain in the Union; 1862, when it declared itself in favor of a vigorous prosecution of the war; 1864, when it rejoiced in its successful termination; 1868, when it favored tramping the amendments under foot; 1872, when it accepted them as wise; 1876, when it favored protection under Tilden; 1880, when it declared for free trade; and 1884, when it straddled."

Poor Cheney Items.

Picking huckleberries is the order of the day, but they are not very plentiful in this vicinity.

Notwithstanding the dry weather we are enjoying the products of our gardens.

Mr. Marshall Moore and wife of this city have just set up house-keeping in Grayling, they have our best wishes for their future success.

Miss Clara Breakey is visiting her brother in Wisconsin.

Little Eddie Stillwell is still a great sufferer, he and his parents have the heartfelt sympathy of the whole community.

Grandpa Turner, who has been visiting his children and grandchildren here, has just returned to the Soldier's Home at Grand Rapids.

Mrs. F. D. Hastings has just returned from Millington, where she has been visiting her mother.

A valuable calf belonging to Mr. Joseph Sewell, was injured by the cars last week.

TRUE.

The republicans have no reason to be ashamed of their candidates' speech-making talent. In his formal address Harrison has been dignified and courageous in his bearing and tone and his casual speeches dignified and playful. His speech to the Tippecanoe club and his address to the commercial travelers Saturday night, place him in a very agreeable light. His humor is delicate, graceful and in the best of taste. He gives evidence so far of not embarrassing his party by "slopping over," or contributing any awkward phrases which his opponents can twist to his prejudice. This faculty in a candidate is equivalent to a sixth sense and is worth more than brilliant talents for campaign purposes.—Detroit Journal.

The Democrat says: "A republican organ which can see no man of great ability in the democratic party and finds that organization pitifully weak in the mental caliber of its most conspicuous men, as compared with them on the other side, must be singularly hard up for material with which to flatter the ignorance and vanity of the groundlings of party." Our obliquity of vision must be very great, in accordance with the above, but if the writer will please give names and refer to what they have accomplished we will gladly make retraction. The leaders of the party to which he belongs may be wonderfully gifted and accomplished, but what they have done towards building up and benefiting the country is not recorded. We will admit that many of them have a record that is sullied with "treason," and were "traitors" to their country, but that does not stand in the way of democratic preference. They assisted others of the same organization to make the South one vast cemetery in which half a million of better and nobler men are buried; to make thousands of widows and orphans, and to plunge the country into a debt of over three billions of dollars, in which they glory, and for which they are rewarded by the democratic party by being elected to offices of trust and honor. The leaders of a party are no better than their party, nor can a stream rise higher than the fountain head, and the records of the Government show that where illiteracy predominates the democratic party is in the ascendancy. We make the following quotations from the last census of the United States. In Arkansas the number who can neither read nor write is 38 in every 100 of population; Alabama 50; Florida 43; Georgia 49; Louisiana 49; Mississippi 49; North Carolina 48; South Carolina 55. These states are entirely represented by free traders and traitors. On the other hand we will give a number of states that are entirely or nearly so, by republicans or protectionists: California 7; Colorado 3; Connecticut 5; Iowa 3; Indiana 3; Illinois 7; Kansas 5; Maine 4; Mass. 6; Mich. 5; Minn. 6; New Hampshire 5; Ohio 5; Oregon 5; Penn. 6; and Vermont 6. In the Southern States the illiteracy is about evenly divided between the whites and blacks. The other states vary and the greater the per cent of ignorance reported there is a democratic majority to accord with it. In states in which there was a leaven of republicanism, and which furnished assistance in crushing the rebellion and are now partly represented by republicans, the ratio of illiteracy is not so great. In the others scratch a democrat on the back and you are scratching either a traitor or bitter enemy of the two. You may not wish to stomach this exhibition but a contraband with but a fair share of intelligence will tell you it is the case.

A Warning.

The methods of death's approach are various, and statistics show conclusively that more persons die from disease of the Throat and Lungs than any other. It is probable that everyone, without exception, receives vast numbers of Tubercle Germs into the system and where these germs fall upon suitable soil they start into life and develop, at first slowly and shown by a slight tickling sensation in the throat and if allowed to continue their ravages they extend to the lungs, producing Consumption and to the head, causing Catarrh. Now all this is dangerous and if allowed to proceed will in time cause death. At the onset you must act with promptness; allowing a cold to go without attention is dangerous and may lose your life. As soon as you feel that something is wrong with your Throat, Lungs or Nostrils, about a bottle of Boschee's German Syrup. It will give you immediate relief.

School Inspectors.

There is one important point in Michigan's school work which her people, we trust, will not overlook. The splendid efforts now making in Michigan to grade the rural schools will, we know, be successful if the people are not forgetful that the secretary of the county is to serve the schools, and that the office is not a mere political place. We are somewhat familiar with the county secretaries of Michigan, and we recognize them as an able and efficient corps of executives, and with just the interest and "snip" that will bring the country and village schools into well-ordered unity of work. The law provides for "a change" each year. It is a poor law—poor, unless the people rise above the privilege (?) accorded, and at the polls retain the efficient man when once in office.

No superintendent or secretary can in one year formulate and put in effective working order a plan to grade and classify the schools of his county. We know of counties in Illinois, Iowa, and other States that this was a labor of three, four, and in one instance five years, with earnest able men at the helm, too. In the end they won, and the people in these counties now recognize the fact that a great blessing has fallen to them and their children through the labors of these men. The people see that great results have been achieved, not by, but in spite of their efforts—in some counties the plans of the county officer was directly antagonized.

We trust our Michigan friends will avoid this error. Two things do:

1. Lengthen the term of office.
2. If you have a good man in office, keep him there—at least long enough to do something.—County School Council.

In discussing the Senate bill, in the House, to appropriate \$250,000 to aid State Soldier's Homes, Congressman Kilgore, of Texas, said: "That it was the duty of municipal corporations to care for their own paupers." This stirred the patriotic blood of General Spinola, of N. Y., who said he "hated the assertion back into the dirty throat from whence it emanated," and declared that no man should brand the Union soldier as a pauper in his presence.

Sore-headed republicans are commanding a premium in the democratic ranks. An invitation was given at the Detroit convention to all republicans to leave their party and join them and become their leaders. They should remember 1872.

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After all the heat of free-trade, as portrayed by the ablest advocates, there is one glaring fact which they cannot gadaway, which is a full answer to all their sophistries. Workingmen from all parts of the world persist in coming to this country of a protection tariff for better wages and better living, while no American dreams of quitting the United States for a similar reason.—E.E.

The republican convention has nominated for president a man whose honorable, historic name has never been sullied; whose record of public service is creditable, if not conspicuous; who has the cordial good will of the people of his own state, and whose personal qualities, so far as they are yet known, promise no derogation from the dignity of the presidential office should he be chosen to fill it. The nomination is perhaps the shrewdest that could have been made.—Springfield Republican.

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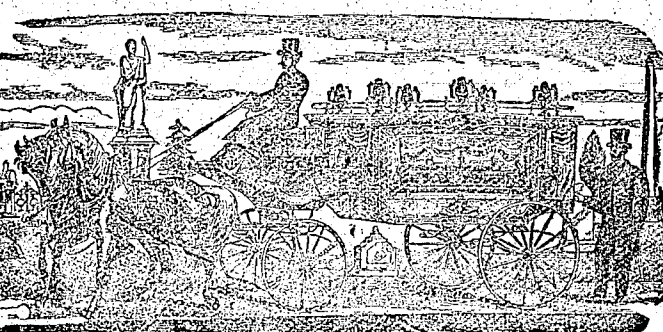
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J. O. HANSON, Local Editor.
THURSDAY, JULY 26, 1888.

LOCAL ITEMS.

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(Corrected Weekly.)

Cats No. 2 white, per bushel, 10 cts.
Hay No. 1 Timothy, per ton, \$22.00 & \$21.00.
New feed No. 1, per ton, \$20.00.
Brass, per ton, \$21.00.
May flour, roller patent, per barrel, \$5.75.
May flour, roller mills, per barrel, \$5.25.
Gold dust flour, per barrel, \$5.25.
Excelsior flour, per barrel, \$4.15.
Extra mess beef, per barrel, \$9.00.
Mess pork, per barrel, \$10.00.
Refined lard, per pound, 10 cts.
Hams, sugar cured, per pound, 14 cts.
Breakfast bacon, per pound, 13 cts.
Clear pork side, per pound, 9 1/2 cts.
Plate beef, per pound, 5 cts.
Creamery butter, per pound, 4 Dairy 18.
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B. C. & Co's. Aurora coffee, per lb., 25 cts.
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Sugar, extra C, per pound, 8 cts.
Sugar, granulated, per pound, 9 cts.
Sugar, white, per pound, 10 cts.
Sugar, powdered, per pound, 10 1/2 cts.
Oil, waterbury, per gallon, 15 cts.
Beans, hand picked, per bushel, \$2.50.
Peas, green, per bushel, \$2.00.
Syrup, sugar, per gallon, 50 cts.
O. O. molasses, per gallon, 60 cts.
Molasses, per gallon, 30 cts.
Boneless Ham per pound cents.
Potatoes, per bushel, \$1.25.

Republican caucus, this evening.
A new consignment of Aurora Coffee at the Pioneer Store of S. H. & Co.
Fresh vegetables can be found at the Meat Market of C. W. Wright.
Mr. and Mrs. N. Mickelson went to Bay View last Saturday morning.
Rooms to rent. Inquire at this office.

Buy your Drive Well supplies of F. R. Deckrow.
Small profits and quick sales is the rule at Blakeslee's.

Geo. F. Owen has the contract of placing a wall under the school house.
Call at Blakeslee's and see what he can do for you.

Corduroy pants at S. H. & Co's. Mammoth Store.
Mrs. M. J. Finn went to Bay View last Monday.

C. O. McCullough has the best \$3.00 calf boot in town.
Now is the time to buy your Groceries at Blakeslee's.

S. C. Knight has improved his residence with fresh paint.
Men's army shoes for \$1.75 at C. O. McCullough's. Try a pair.

Trunks, any size and price, at the Mammoth Store of S. H. & Co.
There will be Danish religious services at the Town Hall, next Sunday at the usual hours.

A few nice water sets at S. H. & Co's. Pioneer Store.
The Republican Club will meet at the Grand Army hall next Saturday evening.

For groceries go to the store of Salling, Hanson & Co.
For fresh butter, eggs, etc., go to the new Meat Market of Comer & Taylor.

A new lot of lawn at the Pioneer Store of S. H. & Co.
There will be a regular meeting of Marvin Post, Grand Army of the Republic, to-morrow evening.

You can get the worth of your money by buying your shoes at Blakeslee's.
A fine line of embroidery at the Mammoth Store of S. H. & Co.

Let every republican attend the caucuses at the Town Hall, this evening at 7:30 o'clock.
A complete stock of Paints and Oils, at the Pioneer Store of S. H. & Co.

Geo. E. Nichols, a former resident of Grayling, now resides at Miles, Washington Territory.
Garland Stoves and Heaters at the Mammoth Store of S. H. & Co.

Perry Richardson, of Center Plains township, was in town last Saturday, and called at the Avantiene office.
For Boots at cost, go the Mammoth Store of S. H. & Co.

One of J. K. Hanson's youngest boys fell off a pony last Saturday and fractured his wrist.
A new lot of Fly-Catchers at the Pioneer Store of S. H. & Co.

A Johnson is putting up a neat residence for himself on Elm street, in Mickelson's addition.
Window and Door Screens, at the Pioneer Store of S. H. & Co.

J. M. Finn and J. Patterson were the delegates from this county to the Democratic State Convention.
More new clothing at the Pioneer Store of S. H. & Co.

Finn is going to have his delivery wagon repainted and a Cleveland's name put on it, instead of Harrison's.
Call at the Mammoth Store of S. H. & Co., for Straw Hats, &c., &c.

It was Geo. L. Alexander, Esq., who purchased the office and insurance business of M. J. Connine, Esq.
Go to C. O. McCullough's and get a pair of Men's' buckle plow shoes for 1.40.

For fine or coarse oat meal, go to S. H. & Co's. Pioneer Store.

J. K. Hanson has erected a neat porch in front of his residence which improves its appearance.

Evaporated Apples at the Mammoth Store of S. H. & Co.
Oranges, lemons, coconuts and bananas at the market of Comer & Taylor.

A new stock of shoes in a few days at the Pioneer Store.
A full line of blacking and shoe dressing, constantly on hand, at the shoe store of C. O. McCullough.

Chris. Range has just finished a neat fence around his residence on Peninsular Avenue.
A new line of bustles at the Pioneer Store of S. H. & Co.

Henry Bates sold his house and lot last Friday to a late arrival from Denmark. Consideration, \$250.00.
A nice assortment of salt and pepper shakers at the Mammoth store of S. H. & Co.

At C. O. McCullough's you will find a full line of Ladies', Children's and Misses' shoes.
Miss Josie Jones went to Cheaning last Wednesday on a visit to her grand-parents.

A full supply of vegetables of all kinds, constantly on hand, at the new Meat Market of Comer & Taylor.
J. Staley went to Bay View last Saturday morning to spend Sunday with his family.

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Rev. J. H. Phelps and family are enjoying a visit from his daughter and her husband, from Des Moines, Iowa.

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Twenty-six tickets to Mackinac Island, were sold at this station, for the excursion train last Saturday.

Geo. L. Alexander, Esq., has given his residence a coat of paint which materially improves its appearance.
Win. T. Lewis, head sawyer in Dille's mill at Frederic, near Grayling, had his left hand cut off by the saw, Saturday. - Detroit News.

A young son was born to Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Raymond last Monday morning. Fred is doing as well as could be expected.
The families of Messrs. Blakeslee, Woodworth, Rose and Evans went to Portage Lake last Tuesday for a week's outing.

General Sheridan is still reported to be improving in health. Every change in his condition is for the better.
Miss Stevens will form a class in Art Embroidery and Paris Tinting. For particulars call at Mrs. Alexander's.

E. M. Roffee has given his two houses on Peninsular Avenue another coat of paint, giving them a more finished appearance.
Mr. T. Lewis, chief sawyer at Dille's mill at Grayling, had his left hand cut off by a saw, Saturday. - Detroit Journal.

Messrs. Purchase, Olson, Martin and Robinson attended the Saginaw races last week, and report some excellent sport.
F. P. Richardson, of Center Plains, had to have a reaper, and must have the best, so he bought a Buckeye Table Rake, combined machine.

F. R. Deckrow has enclosed a commodious addition to his residence which will add greatly to the convenience of his home.
Mr. Waters, who has been working for E. F. Raymond for the last six months, went to Cheboygan last Monday morning. O. Raymond will hereafter have charge of the sawing chair.

Mrs. M. E. Hanson and her sister, Mrs. B. F. Keesling, and Master Arthur Keesling of Logansport, Ind., and Mr. J. L. Hanson of Union City, Indiana, went to Bay View, last Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Howard, of South Branch township, were in town last Saturday, visiting their daughter and making acquaintance with their brand new grandson.

W. H. James of Beaver Creek has invested in a Buckeye self binder, for his harvest, which will yield fairly well notwithstanding the drought. He always wants the best in the market.

George Miller, of Gaylord, who was married but three weeks since, shot himself last Monday morning, the ball passing through his brain. He was tired of living and thought he would try dying.

Chas. W. Taylor, formerly of Gaylord and who had his hand badly injured by a press in the News office, at that place, is now traveling in the interest of the Sun, published at Indianapolis.

The School Board has engaged the following corps of teachers for the ensuing year: Prof. L. C. Colburn, of Lansing, Principal; Miss May B. Partridge, Bay City, Grammar Room; Miss Eva Nichols, Bronson, 1st Primary; and Miss Aggie Bates, Grayling, 2d Primary.

Wagner Camp, No. 145, S. of V., was organized at G. A. R. hall last evening. Capt. H. C. Thompson, of Bay City, mustering officer. Seventeen charter members were present and there is prospect of a lively camp.

The following are the officers elected: L. J. Patterson, Capt.; J. W. Staley, 1st Lieut.; F. A. Bull, 2d Lieut.; G. Shellenberger, Chaplain; E. Thayer, 1st Sergeant; B. Thayer, Q. M. Sergeant; C. Evans, Col. Sergeant; F. Phelps, Sergeant of Guard; E. Bell, Prim. Musician; L. E. Parker, Jr., Corp. of Guard; H. Homstead, N. Bassett and A. J. Love were elected Camp Committee.

A. J. Rose has added to the happiness of his family by an act that will long be remembered. Years ago in the mines of Mexico, he secured some of the finest amethysts extant and a specimen of native silver that is seldom equaled.

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TENTH ANNUAL REUNION

Programme for the Tenth Annual Reunion of the Northern Michigan Soldiers' and Sailors' Association at Choboygan, August 21, 22 and 23rd, 1888.

COMRADES: let us meet once more and rally round the old flag of our glorious union; that flag for which three hundred thousand of our best and bravest died in order that our nation might live; that flag for which you and I fought to maintain through four years of great privations, and let us renew our fraternal relations: Comrades, fall in, and let us meet once again, and join hands around our camp fire and sing anew our knapsack songs and tell the old stories of camp and battles of long ago, and praise God for a united country, and that we have been spared to meet once again in our annual reunion, and enjoy the happy reflections of our Soldier lives, and trust that we may all meet in that reunion where parting is no more.

D. BENNETT, PRESIDENT.
W. J. JUBB, Secretary.

PROGRAMME.
FIRST DAY.
1. Reception Committee with Cheboygan City Band will meet comrades at all boats and trains.
2. Assembly and parade formed at G. A. R. hall.
3. Procession will break ranks at camp ground.
4. Roll call at 12:30 p. m.
5. Dinner call at 1:30 p. m.
6. Music by Musical Band.
7. Prayer by Rev. A. E. Cook.
8. Address of Welcome by Comrade Oscar Adams.
9. Address by D. Bennett, President of Association.
10. Song by the Choir.
11. Roll call and guard mount.
12. Taps at 5 p. m.

SECOND DAY.
1. Breakfast at 6:30 a. m.
2. Guard mount at 8 a. m.
3. Music by the Bands at 8:30 a. m.
4. Toasts and Responses.
5. What does this Nation owe the patriots of Revolution and Heroes of 1861-1865. Response by Comrade Oscar F. Winsor.
6. Lay the flag down and save the flag. Response by Comrade H. R. Miller.
7. The Grand Army of the Republic. Response by Comrade H. R. Miller.
8. Song, "Columbia the Gem of the Ocean."
9. Michigan in the War. Response by Comrade A. J. Barnes.
10. Song and Music.
11. Declaration, "Sheridan's Ride," by Miss Lela L. Willard.
12. Song, "Battle Cry of Freedom."
13. Prayer by Rev. W. H. James.
14. Toast, Red, White and Blue. Response by J. S. Andrus.
15. Song, "Red, White and Blue."
16. The Loyal Women of the Union. Response by J. S. Andrus.
17. Song, "Glorious Hallelujah."
18. Declaration, "Barbara Fritchie," by Miss Lela L. Willard.
19. Song, "Star Spangled Banner."
20. The Soldiers and Sailors of the Union. Response by Comrade G. Palmer.
21. Annual address by Judge R. J. Kelley, of Alcona.
22. Supper call at 6:30 p. m.
23. Taps at 9 p. m.

THIRD DAY.
1. Breakfast at 6:30 a. m.
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3. Election of officers.
4. Excursion to Mackinac Island.
5. Break ranks at 6:30 p. m.

The Delineator
For the month of August is received, and is devoted to the fashions for Summer or early Fall. The designs for Ladies', Misses' and Children's garments are really elegant and are intended for material of most any kind used for such purposes. The instructions for making up and the trimming to be used, are such that any one accustomed in the use of the needle can not help but understand them. Much space is devoted to mid summer dresses; mid summer millinery; social life; tea table talk; canning and preserving; rambles among books and answers to correspondents. Price \$1. per year. Subscriptions received at this office.

E. M. Roffee, while in Grayling, will be pleased to show parties who intend building, some fine locations for residences.

J. Maurice Finn, the "talented young orator" of Grayling, as he was announced, and J. Patterson, editor of the Northern Democrat came flying into the village on Saturday morning of last week; their carriage trimmed with bandannas. - Northern Mail.

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Gunsmith Shop.
I will open up the old blacksmith shop near the bridge, where I will make and repair guns and do other light work in my line. Repairing of machinery a specialty. Terms reasonable. - Give me a call.
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Rev. C. W. West, NOTARY PUBLIC and Justice of the Peace. Residence in Center Plains township. Post office, Pere Cheney. All business entrusted to me will be promptly attended to.
Sept. 8, '87.

Public Notice!
All who propose purchasing lots in Grayling, will do well to call on Mr. J. S. Harder, who will be pleased to show you choice lots on which to build in Roffee's addition, at reasonable prices and on easy terms.
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EDUCATIONAL.
Those having children to educate will do well to send a postal card for a copy of the Educational Number of the Herald and Prestier containing announcements and advertisements of the leading schools and colleges of the country. - Address
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For Sale.

A house and lot in Goodale's addition, for \$300. This house would rent for \$5.00 per month, and is a bargain. Inquire of
May 21, 11. MAIN J. CONNINE.

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July 5, 13-6.

Teachers' Examination for Crawford County.
REGULAR examinations will be held at Grayling, on the first Thursday of March 1888 and August 1888.
Special public examinations for the year will also be held at Grayling, the last Friday of October 1887, and April 1888.
First and second grade certificates can be granted only at the regular public examinations.
All examinations commence promptly at 8 A. M. standard time.
Persons holding special (Secretary's) certificates must appear at the next public examination.
C. E. HICKS, SECRETARY.
Oct. 13, 11 p.

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HASTINGS BROTHERS, Pere Cheney, Mich.
Mortgage Sale.
DEFAULT having been made in a certain mortgage dated the 15th day of September A. D. 1887, made by Nellie M. Harrington of Wadonia, Kansas, to James H. Hastings of Grayling, Michigan, and recorded on the 31st day of October A. D. 1887 in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for Crawford County, Michigan, in Liber A of mortgages, on page 460, on which mortgage there is due the sum of Forty-one dollars and ninety-one cents, and an attorney's fee of Fifteen dollars, associated for in said mortgage, and no suit or proceedings at law, or in equity having been taken to recover the debt, by said mortgagee, or by any part thereof.

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